

J. FINEGAN (Handbook of Biblical Chronology) has compiled a series of tables illustrating the use of the MACEDONIAN Calendar throughout the Near East into the early centuries of the Christian era. His correlations in these tables of the Macedonian with the Jewish, Babylonian, Egyptian, and Roman Calendars are especially valuable

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THE MACEDONIAN CALENDAR

The Macedonian Cal. was a Greek Cal that assumed great importance following the conquests of Alexander the Great and the establishment of the kingdoms of his successors. It was widely used in Asia Minor, Syria, Palestine, and Babylonia. In the course of its dissemination, it exhibited considerable variation in the names of the months and in their order. The Macedonian year began in the Autumn.